AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

- 1-6. (cancelled)
- 7. (Currently Amended) An LED device-characterized by comprising: an LED chip;
- an LED reflecting plate made of a metal and having a recess where said LED chip is to be mounted; and
 - a printed wiring board on which said LED reflecting plate is to be mounted,
 - wherein said printed wiring board further comprising comprises:
- a first through hole in which the recess of said LED reflecting plate is to be fitted, <u>said</u> <u>first through hole being formed as a circular cylindrical hole which is substantially straight and vertical to said printed wiring board:</u>
- a plating film formed so as to cover continuously the entire surfaces of upper and bottom peripheral edges and a circumferential wall of said first through hole, wherein the plating film is separate from the LED reflecting plate; and
- a terminal portion formed on a surface of said printed wiring board to be electrically connected to said LED chip, and
 - wherein said LED reflecting plate further comprising comprises:
 - a flat LED chip mounting portion which forms a bottom of the recess, and
- a reflecting portion which forms a side wall of the recess and is inclined with respect to said LED chip mounting portion; and
- a flange, formed on and along the entire circumference of an upper peripheral edge of the recess, to be bonded onto said plating film at a position thereof along and corresponding to the upper peripheral edge of said first through hole of said printed wiring board.
- 8. (Previously Presented) An LED device according to claim 7, characterized in that a space surrounded by said bottom and side wall of the recess of said LED reflecting plate is formed into one of a frustoconical shape and a frustopyramidal shape.
- 9. (Original) An LED device according to claim 7, characterized in that said LED reflecting plate comprises
 - a plurality of lands each comprising the recess, and

a first bridging portion which connects said plurality of lands in series.

10. (Withdrawn) An LED device according to claim 7, characterized by further comprising a thin metal wire which electrically connects said LED chip and said terminal portion,

said LED reflecting plate further comprising

a flat flange around the recess, and

said printed wiring board further comprising

a first substrate formed with the first through hole,

a second substrate which sandwiches, together with said first substrate, said flange of said LED reflecting plate the recess of which is fitted in the first through hole, and

a second through hole which is formed in said second substrate and through which said thin metal wire connected to said LED chip on said LED reflecting plate is extended.

- 11. (Withdrawn) An LED device according to claim 7, characterized in that a plurality of LED chips are mounted on each recess of said LED reflecting plate.
- 12. (Withdrawn) An LED device according to claim 10, characterized in that said printed wiring board further comprises

an electrical connection hole formed in a portion of said second substrate which is above said flange, and

a wiring line which is formed on a surface of said second substrate and electrically connects the electrical connection hole to said terminal portion.

13. (Currently Amended) An LED device according to claim 7, characterized by further comprising a cooling member which comes into is in contact with a bottom of the recess of said LED reflecting plate and with said plating film at a position thereof corresponding to the bottom of said first through hole.